

## Message Text

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TAGS: MPOL, NATO, UK  
SUBJECT: UK PEACEKEEPING FORCES

REF: USUN 3851 (DTG 280347Z SEP 78)

1. AT THE SEPTEMBER 27 DPC, KILLICK (UK) INFORMED  
PERMREPS THAT FOREIGN SECRETARY OWEN, IN HIS ADDRESS TO  
THE UNGA THAT DAY, WOULD ANNOUNCE UK WILLINGNESS TO  
EXPAND THEIR UN PEACE KEEPING COMMITMENT. IN ADDITION  
TO PEACE KEEPING FORCES IN CYPRUS AND LEBANON, THE UK  
WOULD BE PREPARED TO MAKE AVAILABLE A BATTALION GROUP  
OR A ROYAL MARINE COMMANDO GROUP FOR UP TO SIX MONTHS  
UPON SEVEN DAYS DEPLOYMENT NOTICE AND PROVIDE INITIAL  
AIR LIFT.

2. KILLICK STATED THAT ANY DECISIONS TO DEPLOY SUCH  
FORCES WOULD BE SUBJECT TO NATIONAL DECISIONS IN  
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LIGHT OF OTHER COMMITMENTS, IN PARTICULAR THOSE TO NATO.  
HE ADDED THAT ANY UK PEACE KEEPING DEPLOYMENTS WOULD BE  
RECALLED TO THE NATO AREA IN TIME OF NEED. BENNETT

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